

Stuttgart Community Post

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Child Safety Window Decals Available

Concerned parents who fear for their children's safety in case of a fire can now place decals on their children's bedroom window. These stickers will help firefighters locate a child's bedroom. The fire decals need to be affixed to the top left corner of the window when looking from the outside. Stickers should be placed on bedroom windows of all children up to 16 years of age. Decals are also being placed on windows at all area Child Development centers. This initiative comes from the 6th Area Support group command, but is being implemented on a voluntary basis. Parents can pick up the decals at their local installation coordinator's office.

SECTION I OFFICIAL INFO

Numbers To Know...

For emergencies call:

Fire Reporting	0711-680-117
All other (Military Police)	0711-680-116
From DSN phone call	116 or 117
Non-DSN in 0711 prefix	680-116 or 117

For non-emergencies call:

American Red Cross	07031-15-818
Chaplain	0711-680-5000
Education Hotline	0711-680-6121
Emergency Action Center	0711-729-2601
Family Support Center	0711-680-7176
Military Police	0711-680-5262
Personal Health Adviser	0800-825-1600
Road/Weather Conditions	0711-729-2474
Sexual Harassment Hotline	0711-729-2708

Form 1099-MISC Erroneously Issued

Defense Finance Accounting Service Erroneously issued IRS Form 1099-MISC to service members who received proceeds for "damaged household goods incident to government procured move." Members who received a Form 1099, reporting the reimbursement for damaged goods, should **not** use the IRS Form 1099-MISC issued by DFAS when filing taxes. DFAS will provide corrected Form 1099 for members in this circumstance to keep on file. Again, **do not** use IRS Form 1099-MISC issued by DFAS for reimbursement of

"damaged household goods incident to government procured move when filing taxes."

CSM Retirement Ceremony

The retirement ceremony for Command Sergeant Major Philip J. Kiniery will take place March 1 at 4 p.m. in Washington Square, Patch Barracks. In the event of inclement weather, the ceremony will take place in the Patch Barracks Fitness Center. Uniform for service members is Class A or service equivalent.

Voluntary Leave Request

Jacquelyn Johnson has been approved as a leave recipient under the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. She is in dire need of annual leave donations. Johnson is undergoing major surgery. Those wishing to donate annual leave to Johnson should complete a leave donation form and fax it to Ms. Schoenberger at 322-8407/civ. 06181-88-8407.

Monthly Tenants Meeting Scheduled

The next 6th Area Support Group Tenants Meeting is March 6, 9 a.m. in the Kelley Community Club.

Report Suspected Espionage Incidents

Community members who encounter a suspicious incident are reminded to not commit themselves to do anything and to ask for time to think over any offers. Remember all descriptions and details about locations, people, conversations, vehicles and license plates. Report the incident

immediately by calling the Stuttgart Military Intelligence Office, 421-2206/civ. 0711-729-2206.

Chef Boyardee Cheese Ravioli Recalled

The ConAgra Company has recalled 15-ounce cans of Chef Boyardee 99-percent Fat Free Cheese Ravioli in Tomato Sauce. The recalled cans do not declare the product contains soy protein. The affected product bears the establishment code 794 followed by the case code J17101RF printed on the bottom of the can. Commissary patrons can return them for a full refund.

SERVICES

Shop Panzer Thrift Store for Bargains

Come on down to the Panzer Thrift Store, located in building 2953. The store has a wide variety of items to choose from including women's plus sizes, men's tall clothing, coats, ski wear, furniture, gold/silver and fashion jewelry. All clothing and accessory items with a colored star are 50-percent off.

The store is back to its regular hours Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Consignments are accepted each day 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. A total of 20 items can be consigned at one time. The Böblingen Community Activities Club manages the thrift store; all money raised goes back into the military community. For info call 431-2878/civ. 07031-15-878.

Weapons Registration Card Available

The Vehicle and Weapons Registration Office at Panzer Kaserne has step-by-step instructions on how to obtain a German Waffenbesitzkarte (weapons registration card). Call 431-2833/civ. 07031-15-833 for info.

Visit RB Thrift Shop

Stop by Robinson Barracks Thrift Shop for a wide variety of useful and unique items including German collectibles. Make a little extra cash by consigning entertainment and hobby items, modern 220v TVs and other modern 220v appliances that you don't need. Transformers are also in high demand. Donations are always welcome and much appreciated.

Shop hours are Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Consignments are accepted until 12:30 p.m. For info call 0711-854-242.

Get in Shape with Fitness 2002

Step out of the box and sculpt your way into a new you. Patch Barracks Fitness Center is offering Step Extreme on Mondays, Kickboxing on Wednesdays and Cardio/Sculpting on Fridays. Join them 6 to 7 a.m. for the challenge. Each class is \$3 or \$30 for 12 classes. Your first class is complimentary. For info call Bobbie at 430-5332/civ 0711-680-5332.

Photographer Takes Easter Photos

Army and Air Force Exchange Services offers a professional photography for those children's and family Easter photos March 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17, 30 and 31 in the Patch Barracks PX. For info and appointments call 0174-300-0318.

Sun Outages Affect AFN Signals

Armed Forces Network customers may experience brief programming interruptions through March 13, as the spring sun outage period occurs. These seasonal outages affect all satellite communications, including AFN radio and television services distributed by the American Forces Radio and Television Service. Programming interruptions are characterized by a complete loss of signal for several seconds up to 10 or 20 minutes.

ACS Offers Parent Support Groups

Army Community Service offers support for new moms and moms of young children. **MOMS Together** classes provide support and education every Wednesday 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Stuttgart Wellness Center. Child care is provided for children up to 5 years of age. **Playgroup** offers activities that promote parent/child interaction for children aged 6 months to 4 years Mondays 10 to 11:30 a.m. in the Stuttgart Wellness Center. No registration is necessary for either program. ACS is located on the second floor of building 2307, Washington Square, Patch Barracks. The Wellness Center is just across the hall. For info call 430-7176/civ. 0711-680-7176.

Civilian Fitness Program Signups

It isn't too late to sign up for the Civilian Fitness Program. With supervisor and medical approval, this program allows three hours each week to get fit as part of your workday during the next six months. The Stuttgart Wellness Center will be conducting final enrollment and assessments March 12, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Wellness Center, building 2307, Washington Square, Patch Barracks. Interested participants can contact Carrie Shult for enrollment packets

and/or more info at 486-7099/civ. 06371-86-7099 or wellness@cpe.amedd.army.mil.

Patch Thrift Shop Holds Bag Sale

The Patch Thrift Shop begins its Fall and Winter Clothing Bag Sale March 2. Buy a bag from the shop for just \$2 and fill it with selected clothing for the entire family. Fall and winter clothing consignments end Feb. 28; spring and summer clothing consignments begin March 18.

The shop, located in the lower level of building 2307, Washington Square, is open Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and the first Saturday of the month 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Call 430-5510/civ. 0711-680-5510 for info.

Upcoming Closings, Changes

208th Finance Detachment has new customer service numbers for its travel voucher processing service, 430-7103/civ. 0711-680-7103 or 430-8324/civ. 0711-680-8324. Vouchers can also be faxed to 430-5155/civ. 0711-680-5155. Members within the Stuttgart area should submit travel vouchers to the customer service counter.

208th Finance Detachment will conduct a field training exercise March 6 through 8. Customer service hours for travel, military pay and disbursing support remains the same, but customers may experience delays as it be at minimum manning.

Panzer Dining Facility will be closed March 12 through April 1. **Kelley Dining Facility** will open March 14 through 28. It will offer food service to all Department of Defense ID cardholders. For info call 431-2602/civ. 07031-15-602.

SECTION II ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tree Removal at Patch Barracks

All trees recently cut down at Patch Barracks will be picked up within the next two weeks. After the trees are removed, branches will be picked up and smaller twigs will be chipped to clean up the area. Be aware that during tree removal and chipping the roads may be partially blocked. Plan for traffic congestion during this time. For info call 430-5450/civ. 0711-680-5450.

Forwarding Mailbox Expires

The one-year forwarding of mail for mailbox numbers 2561 and above expires April 15 for all Patch mailroom patrons. Those numbers will be purged from the system and all mail arriving after

April 15 will be returned to sender as *attempted not known*. This also applies to patrons still using units 30400, 30401 and 30402. Patrons who have not changed their mailbox are encouraged to do so immediately. For info contact Michael Geoghegan at 430-4069/civ. 0711-680-4069 or michael.geoghegan@cmtymail.6asg.army.mil.

Annual OCSC Spring Bazaar Returns

Mark your calendars for the Officers and Civilians Spouse's Club's Spring Bazaar March 22 through 24. The annual event is expanding into the Patch Community Club in addition to the Patch Barracks Fitness Center. Over 70 vendors representing countries throughout Europe including Germany, Italy, Spain, Holland, United Kingdom, Poland, France, Turkey, Portugal and Russia will be offering great deals and a wonderful variety of merchandise. The event is open to all U.S. military and NATO identification cardholders. For safety reasons, strollers will not be allowed into the shopping areas.

AFSA General Membership Meeting

The Air Force Sergeants Association, chapter 1697, will have a general membership meeting March 14 at noon in the MSS lunch room, building 2308. Meetings are normally held the second Thursday of every month. For details contact Senior Master Sgt. Charles at 430-4121/civ. 0711-680-4121 or go the Web site www.geocities.com/afsa1697.

DPW Hosts Energy Awareness Seminar

The Directorate of Public Works will host an Energy Awareness Seminar for major tenants of the 6th Area Support Group March 4 through 8 in the Kelley Club. An energy consulting firm will be conducting building surveys throughout the 6th ASG, evaluating existing utility systems and their effectiveness. The results of the survey, along with the seminar, are designed to promote energy awareness and pinpoint system improvements for the future. For info contact Dr. Ghaderi, 421-6126/civ. 0711-729-6126.

6th ASG Gospel Jubilee

The 6th Area Support Group Chaplains Office is hosting a Gospel Jubilee March 9 at 3 p.m. in Panzer Chapel. Enjoy a joyful sound through music with a message. For info call 430-5000/civ. 0711-680-5000.

Volleyball Officials Clinic

The community volleyball season is quickly approaching. An official's clinic will be held

March 7 and 8, 6 to 8 p.m. in Panzer Fitness Center. Anyone interested in becoming a volleyball official must attend both sessions. For info contact Desmond Thompson at 431-2724/civ. 07031-15-724 or thompsonsd@6asg.army.mil.

Patch Ski Club Meeting

Patch Ski Club's next meeting is March 13, 7 p.m. in the Swabian Special Events Center. For info go to the Web site www.psc-ski.org.

PAHS Follies Entertain the Community

If you like comedy, drama, dancing and singing you'll love the third annual Patch High School Follies March 2 in the high school forum. Doors open at 6 p.m. and the show begins at 6:30 p.m. Tickets will be available at the door, \$4 per person and \$3 for children 8 and under. Beverages and snacks will be available during the show. Bring the entire family to support the community's youth. The talent show is a major fund-raiser for the high school Parent Teacher and Student Association. For info call Sue Isaac, 0711-687-7472, or Madeline Nicholson, 0711-677-3671.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Sitzmarker Youth Ski Trip to Austria

Sitzmarker Youth Ski Club is offering a trip to Montafon, Austria, March 1 through 3. The cost is 150 Euro for youths born in or after 1986 and 170 Euro for youths born in 1983, 1984 or 1985. The price includes bus transportation, two overnights, breakfast, dinner and lift pass. Lunches and dinner drinks are extra. Sitzmarker is a ski club for ID cardholders in grades seven through 12. For info contact Silvia Hughes at 07157-3745.

Scholarship Applications Available

The Germany Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc., will award three \$1,000 scholarships to selected high school seniors planning to attend college next fall. Scholarship application forms are available from the high school guidance office or by contacting Phillip Doss at kappa1911@hotmail.com. or 0711-370-6762. The application deadline is March 14.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

City Colleges of Chicago

Ready to start a college course but afraid you missed registration? At City Colleges of Chicago any time is the right time to sign up for a new course. The college's distance education program allows enrollment whenever you're ready. Choose

from 230 courses, delivered via video or computer. Visit your CCC-E field representative at Panzer Education Center or go to the Web site www.ccc-e.org. for info.

SWC New Pregnancy Orientation Class

The next New Pregnancy Orientation class is March 12 in the Stuttgart Wellness Center, building 2307, Patch Barracks. Participants will receive a handbook outlining prenatal and postnatal care, as well as vital information about community resources. Call 430-8610/civ. 0711-680-8610 to register.

CHRNA Leader Development Courses

The Civilian Human Resource Management Agency is offering two leader development courses: **Army Performance Improvement Criteria** March 11 through 14, June 4 through 7 and June 10 through 13; and **Performance Measurement and Practical Application** May 14 through 17 and May 20 through 23. The first sessions of each class will take place in Seckenheim, Germany; the second session of Performance Measurement and Practical Application will be held in Schwetzingen, Germany; and the final two APIC class locations are to be determined. Registration and info is available on the Web site www.chrma.hqusareur.army.mil.

ACS Offers Many Worthwhile Programs

Army Community Service offers a variety of classes and programs for the Stuttgart military community. Learn to count and a few need-to-know German words, how to use public transportation, how to cook (and eat) a typical Swabian meal, go on a tour and more at the **Stuttgart Newcomers Orientation** March 4 through 8.

A **Child Abuse Detection and Prevention** briefing will be offered March 13 from 2 to 3:30 p.m. Participants will be taught how to identify potential indicators of child abuse, techniques useful in preventing child abuse and the appropriate procedures to follow to report child abuse. The class is designed for child care providers or anyone who works with children or adolescents.

A **Domestic Violence Prevention** briefing will be offered March 14 from 8 to 10:30 a.m. This training meets the mandatory unit training requirements for domestic violence prevention. Participants will be introduced to potential indicators of domestic violence and shown the cycle of violence, techniques useful in preventing

domestic violence and appropriate procedures to follow when reporting domestic violence.

Army Family Team Building, Level I, is designed for spouses and family members new to the Army and those affiliated with other branches of the service who live and work on an Army installation. The program familiarizes learners with the Army hierarchy, acronyms and services available. Level I training is available in both English and Spanish. Earn a Level I certificate from the comforts of your own computer. Register at www.aftb.org. For info contact Caroline Orama, ACS AFTB Coordinator.

ACS is located in building 2307, Washington Square, Patch Barracks. To register for a class or for info call 430-7176/civ. 0711-680-7176.

HOBBIES & CRAFTS

Patch Arts & Crafts Classes

Patch Arts and Crafts Center, located in building 2337 by the fitness center, offers classes for everyone. **Bears:** Make a lovable teddy bear with movable parts out of 100-percent mohair March 7, 14, 21 and 28 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. or 6 to 9 p.m.; **Easter basket:** Make a cute basket to for Easter bunny goodies March 13 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. or 6 to 9:30 p.m.; **Ready Set Crop:** Learn all the ins and outs of scrapbooking March 11 from 6:30 to 9 p.m.; **Stained Glass Easter Ornament:** Make a cute and colorful egg out of stained glass March 12 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.; **Crocheting:** Make something the whole family can use and love March 18, 19, 25 and 26 from 6 to 8 p.m.; **Kid's Easter Wall-hanging:** Make a wall banner to decorate a door, wall or room for Easter March 16 from 1 to 3 p.m., for children aged 6 and older; and **Kid's Easter Egg Cake:** Learn to decorate a fun cake for Easter March 30 from 1 to 4 p.m., for children aged 12 and older. All kids must be pre-registered.

Craft center hours are Mondays through Thursdays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Fridays and Saturdays by appointment. For info call 430-7109/civ. 0711-680-7109.

JOB CORNER

Volunteers Shop Early at Spring Bazaar

The Officers and Civilians Spouse's Club still needs volunteers for its upcoming Spring Bazaar March 22 through 24. Currently there's a shortage of workers March 18, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Many things must be done prior to the electricians arriving March 19. By donating food or volunteering to work prior, during or after the bazaar, volunteers will be allowed to shop the evening prior to the

official opening for the ultimate selection. For info contact Ida Weiner, the volunteer coordinator, at 0711-907-2421.

Community Post Seeks Editor

The 6th Area Support Group Public Affairs Office is looking for a contract editor for its weekly publication the Stuttgart Community Post. Applicants must possess a bachelor's degree and experience in writing a community bulletin. The contract is for 24 hours-per-week, \$10 to \$12 per hours based on experience, education and price. For more information call Jennifer Sanders at 421-2000/civ. 0711-729-2000.

Little League Needs Volunteers

The 2002 Little League Season is just around the corner. The season cannot happen without the help of volunteers. There are many Little League Board positions that need to be filled. Coaches and umpires are also needed for the softball and baseball divisions. Equipment, training and local certification will be provided for volunteers. For baseball info contact John Morris, 0711-680-8666, or Scott Saunders, 0711-680-4002. For softball info contact Bruce Davis at 0711-620-4898. Information is also available on the Web site www.stuttgartlittleleague.tripod.com.

ACS Seeking a STEP Coordinator

Army Community Service has a non-personal service contract opening for a Systematic Training for Effective Parenting coordinator. The position is for 30 to 40 hours per week, some nights and weekends. Primary responsibilities include developing parent groups and providing train-the-trainer sessions for volunteer parenting group leaders. A bachelors degree is required, masters in education preferred. Experience/certification with STEP is also preferred. Applicants should submit a resume to ACS, second floor of building 2307, Patch Barracks, no later than March 15.

Girl Scout Leadership Opening

U.S.A. Girl Scouts, Stuttgart, is actively accepting nominations for the Lone Troops Committee chair for 2002 and 2003. Contact Beth Rosenwald at 0711-6747-701 for info about this volunteer position.

Committee Members Needed

The Stuttgart military community will observe the 2002 Holocaust Remembrance Day April 26. Those interested in being on the organizing committee should contact MSG Letha Lawson at

421-2892/civ. 0711-729-2892 or lawsonl@6asg.army.mil.

Track Team Looking for Coaches

Patch American High School is looking for coaches to help with jumping and hurdle events. If interested contact Larry Bahn or Alane Cleven at 430-7191/civ. 0711-680-7191.

Citizen Seeking Writer/Editor

The 6th Area Support Group newspaper, The Citizen, is seeking a contract writer/editor with strong journalism skills. Applicants should have a degree in communications/journalism and preferably two years' publication experience. Only strong, published writers need apply. Contract to begin April 1, \$16 per hour, 20 hours per week. Send resume to Citizen@6asg.army.mil. Call Jill Mueller at 421-2046/civ. 0711-729-2046 for info.

Computer Instructor Positions Open

SPAWAR, a Department of Defense computer services provider, has part-time, non-ID card instructor positions available in Darmstadt, Hanau, Heidelberg, Kaiserslautern, Stuttgart, Wiesbaden and Würzburg. Candidates should reside within 30 minutes of the training site, must have a minimum of one-year experience in computer training in a formal classroom setting and proficiency in Windows 95/98, NT, and all versions of Microsoft Office. Traveling is required. Send your preference of locations, availability date, German address, home phone number, work phone number and resume to kay.beasock@training.hqusaureur.army.mil.

FCC Office Recruiting Providers

Do you love children? Do you need extra income? Do you want to be home with your children? Check out the Family Child Care Program. The process has been streamlined and in a few short weeks you can be earning an income. Providers are needed at Patch and Kelley Barracks and Panzer Kaserne. Call 430-7147/civ. 0711-680-7147 for info. A class is starting in March.

PAHS College Fair Needs Alumni

Volunteers are needed to represent their alma mater at Patch American High School's College Fair May 14. Individuals need to contact their school to request any needed materials: catalogues, brochures, incentives, flyers, etc. Tables will be set up in the HS forum. More than 70 schools were represented last year. Help make this year a success for the students. For info

contact Therese DeSanto at 07157-620-488 or e-mail PatchPTSA@aol.com.

LEISURE TIME

Travel with the Stuttgart USO

The Stuttgart United Services Organization, building 2307, Patch Barracks, has a calendar full of activities and trips. Sign up for one of its upcoming events: Trier City March 5; Zurich, Switzerland, March 6; Nove, Italy, Shopping Express March 8 through 10; Medieval Dinner in Triberg March 9; Tongeren, Belgium, March 10; Mercedes Factory March 12; Ludwigsburg City and Castle March 12; Selbe Shopping March 14; London Express March 15 through 17; German Cooking Class March 16; Meet the Mayor March 20; King Ludwig's Castles March 20; Soufflenheim and Betschdorf, France, March 21; Metz, France, Flea Market March 23; Mercedes Factory March 25; Heidelberg City and Castle March 26; Bruchsal and Maulbronn March 27; Tulip Time in Holland March 28 through 31; and Hello Stuttgart March 30. For details call 430-5559/civ. 0711-680-5559 or visit the Web site www.uso-center.org/uso.stuttgart.

The Secret Garden Musical

The Stuttgart Entertainment Branch presents the Secret Garden, the hauntingly beautiful musical based on the beloved children's classic by Frances Hodgson Burnett. The show kicks off with a gala champagne premiere March 1 at 7:30 p.m. in the Stuttgart Theatre Center, building 3320, Kelley Barracks. Additional performances are March 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 15, 16 and 17. Friday and Saturday shows will begin at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday shows will begin at 4 p.m. A special performance with prize raffles will be given March 11 at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$14/€16 for adults and \$12/€14 for students. Reservations are required and can be made by calling the Stuttgart Entertainment Branch Tuesdays through Fridays 12:30 to 5:30 p.m. at 421-2825/civ. 0711-729-2825. Reservations can also be made online at www.kelleytheatre.de. All non-U.S. military ID cardholders must call with passport information one week prior to the performance.

Stuttgart Smash Volleyball Tournament

Sign your team up today for the Stuttgart Smash Volleyball Tournament March 9 and 10 in Panzer Fitness Center. Play begins March 9 at 11 a.m. Teams for the pre-season tournament will consist of four community men's and four community women's teams. For info contact

Desmond Thompson at 431-2724/civ. 07031-15-724 or thompsonsd@6asg.army.mil.

AAFES Movie Schedule

Movies and times are subject to change. For info call the theaters individually. A synopsis of each movie is available through a link at www.stuttgart.army.mil/recreat.htm.

Patch	Theater	0711-680-5310	
March 1	7 p.m.	The Count of Monte Cristo	PG-13
	9:30 p.m.	Ocean's Eleven	PG-13
March 2	3 p.m.	The count of Monte Cristo	PG-13
	6 p.m.	Ocean's Eleven	PG-13
	9:00 p.m.	The Count of Monte Cristo	PG-13
March 3	4 p.m.	The Count of Monte Cristo	PG-13
	7 p.m.	Ocean's Eleven	PG-13
March 4	7 p.m.	The Count of Monte Cristo	PG-13
March 5	7 p.m.	Ocean's Eleven	PG-13
March 6	7 p.m.	Vanilla Sky	R
March 7	7 p.m.	Vanilla Sky	R

RB	Theater	0711-819-6137
March	1 - 7	To be posted in the theater

Corso Theater (Hauptstr. 6, Vaihingen): For info in English and German call 0711-734-916.

Free Theater Skills Workshops

Stuttgart Entertainment Branch is pleased to host several Theater Skills Workshops presented by U.S. Army, Europe Entertainment. The free workshops include **Dance and Improvisation, Swing Dance, with Lindsay Fussell** March 11 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. and **Acting with Dan LaMorte** March 25 and 26 from 6 to 10 p.m. Advance sign-up is required. Workshops will fill on a first-come basis. For those workshops held on two consecutive nights, participants must be able to attend both sessions. Minor advance preparation is required for some workshops. For info call Brett Harwood at 421-2796/civ. 0711-729-2796.

Music at the Back Lot

The Back Lot Bar on Patch Barracks offers musical entertainment every Friday. **DJ Lo'** will be playing popular rhythm and blues and rap music March 1 and 8, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Join the fun at the **St. Patrick's Day Party** complete with Irish music March 15 from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. **Spoonful** will be

playing contemporary rock March 22, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. The **Clock People**, Alice Cooper's back-up band hailing from Phoenix, AZ, will be playing favorite tunes from the 70s and 80s March 29, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. For info call 430-7111/civ. 0711-680-7111.

Auditions for Master Class

Auditions for Master Class, the critically-acclaimed and multiple award-winning play dramatizing a series of master classes given at Julliard School of Music by the legendary Maria Callas, are March 4 and 5, 7 p.m. in the Stuttgart Theater Center.

The cast calls for two male and three female roles, ages 20 to 50. Two of the women's roles and one of the men's roles are singing roles. Both of the women's singing roles are soprano roles. The male singing role is a tenor role. For info contact Brett Harwood at 421-2693/civ. 0711-729-2693.

TRADING POST

Submissions are subject to editor discretion and appear on a space-available basis for two weeks.

For Sale/Vehicles:

'91 BMW 520i, 185,000 km, German specs, AC, 4 brand-new all-season tires, 1st American owner, \$6000. Call 430-8500 or 0711-816-0847.

'93 Chevy S-10 Blazer, 4WD, 116,000 miles, U.S. specs, automatic V6, power doors/windows, lots of extras. Inspection good until Aug. '02. Blue book value is \$3800 - \$4300, asking \$2000. Mechanic's special: needs a torque converter (\$350 + labor) to be in top running form. Call Tami at 0711-719-6738 or e-mail tamiindc@yahoo.com.

'95 Ford Fiesta, blue, very good shape, passed German inspection Jan. 2002, several extras, power windows and locks, asking \$2,800. Call 421-2796 and ask for Brett or 0711-341-1341.

'00 Mercedes A160, silver, excellent condition, automatic transmission, power front windows, dual air bags, AC, cruise/maximum speed control, power brakes, power steering, must test drive to appreciate the great handling automobile, great gas mileage and easy to park in tight spots. Currently has 38,000 km/22,800 miles. Asking \$12,000, but will except any reasonable offer. Call Robyn at 0179-370-5208.

'88 Mercedes 300E, loaded with options; only 131,000 km, outstanding condition inside and out, inspection good until Feb. '03; comes with 4 snow tires, \$2995. Call (h) 0711-120-8308 or (w) 4312-905.

'87 Mercedes 230E, comfortable and reliable, great

autobahn car, first American owner, well maintained. \$3500 OBO. Call 0711-680-8208 (day) or 0711-810-5830 (evening).

'87 Porsche 911 Carrera, German specs, 153 km, 3.2L engine, white w/ whale tail, \$14,000 OBO. Call 0711-816-0847.

'00 Smart Car, 2-seater, white, excellent condition, automatic transmission, power windows, dual air bags, air conditioning. This vehicle is fun to drive, gets great gas mileage and easy to park in tight spots. Currently has 15,000 km/9,000 miles. Asking \$7,000, but will except any reasonable offer. Call Robyn at 0179-370-5208.

'88 Volkswagen Golf Convertible, 130,000 km/78000 miles, silver/grey, black top, CD/radio, new front tires. Registration good until May 02. Serious offers only. \$1700 OBO. If interested call 0160-916-16538 or e-mail mito_72@hotmail.com.

'93 Volvo 850, 4 door, AC, PS, good shape, \$6500. Call 430-5465/civ. 0711-604-978.

'98 Volvo S70 T5 sedan (236HP Turbo), metallic red, immaculate, loaded plus many extras, new summer and winter tires, dealer maintained, garaged, great car to drive on and off the Autobahn. \$24,500. Call 0711-754-5503, evenings.

For Sale/Miscellaneous:

Four used 205 55R15 tires mounted on BMW rims, \$100. Rims are for a 3-series BMW. Call Lt. Col. Steve Strom at 430-5239 or 0711-719-4142.

Baseball shin guards for baseball officials, 2 brand new sets, \$50 each. Call Bill 431-2203/2557 or 0160-996-46987.

26" male Huffy 15-speed bike, \$50; 2 tall 220v fans, \$10 each; 2 small 220v fans, \$5 each; 220v black and white copy machine, \$40; 15" computer monitor, \$30; Tele-tubby toddler scooter, \$20; German 3-piece wall shrank w/ glass doors, \$250 obo; 110v drill, \$15; 220v handheld steam cleaner (great for tiles & windows), \$50. Call 0711-726-1198.

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